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VIA FCC ELECTRONIC COMMENT FILING SYSTEM

September 12, 2007

Ex Parte Presentation

Ms. Marlene Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Petitions of the Frontier and Citizens ILECs, the Embarq Local Operating Companies, AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation for Forbearance from Title II and Computer Inquiry Rules with Respect to their Broadband Services, WC Docket Nos. 06-125 and 06-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

In accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.1206, Citizens Communications Company and its Frontier Communications subsidiaries provide notice of ex parte communications that were mailed and e-mailed on September 11, 2007. The communications were letters from Kenneth Mason – Director, Government & External Affairs to each of the commissioners. Copies of the letters are attached hereto and filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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September 11, 2007

Chairman Kevin J. Martin
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW, 8th Floor
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: WC Docket No. 06-147; Frontier Communications Petition for Forbearance
from Title II and Computer Inquiry Requirements for Broadband Services**

Dear Chairman Martin:

This letter is in response to a question from Chris Moore, Commissioner Tate's Legal Advisor. Mr. Moore asked Frontier to clarify the intent of its request to the FCC for forbearance with respect to interstate interexchange or interstate access services in the above-referenced Petition for Forbearance. In response, Frontier's petition is not intended to address broadband services currently provided to carriers pursuant to Frontier's incumbent local exchange carrier interstate access tariffs. Frontier is not seeking to eliminate such services for purchase by carriers. Frontier's petition seeks forbearance with respect to the commercial interstate broadband transmission services provided to retail end users by Frontier's ILECs as listed in the petition.

Very truly yours,

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Commissioner Jonathan S. Adelstein
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW, 8th Floor
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**Re: WC Docket No. 06-147; Frontier Communications Petition for Forbearance
from Title II and Computer Inquiry Requirements for Broadband Services**

Dear Commissioner Adelstein:

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Commissioner Michael J. Copps
Federal Communications Commission
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Commissioner Robert M. McDowell
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Dear Commissioner McDowell:

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